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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1-2

Part B for June 14

SUBJECT.

Admission of postal officials to railway platforms on occasions of Viceregal tours &c.

1. From the J.A Resident no 2244 dy 30.3.14
Forwards for necessary action copies of certain correspondence on the above subject

2. To the same officer no Pol 964 dy 30.5.1914
Intimates that a system of passing passes in the Presidency is in force & that no inconvenience is felt
No 360 dy 1.6.14. Copy to D.G.P. Police & Military Secy to H.H.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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File No. 187-13

FILE HEADING.

Admission of postal officials into railway platforms & camps of H.E. the Viceroy, &c during their visits.

From

The J.A. Resident

No. 2244 Dated 30.3.14 Received 31.3.14

Diary No. J3158	Enclos. 3	Spare Copies. --	Serial No. 1

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Forwards copy of letter no. T.P. 17 dt 25.3.14 from the Post Master General, Madras, for necessary action.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

Subd. with a draft to the D.G. of Police

B.G. 4778 14.4.14

2) For perusal before issue.

3) Let Please consult the D.G. of Police verbally, to save time

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U.O. No. 7 39-13. Dated 13.4.14.

Serial No.

4) Forwarded unofficially to the I.G. of Police in Mysore for favour of opinion.

By Order

J. Majagonal

for Secretary.

13.4.14 III

5) The system of issuing Passes to all those that may have any duties at the Railway Stations is in vogue in the State, and we have till now not experienced any difficulty of the kind referred to in the Post Master General's letter. Some such arrangement, however as is suggested by him would appear to be necessary to meet contingencies; but on all such occasions we implicitly carry out the orders of the Military Secretary as to what officials have to be admitted into the platforms etc; and so in the absence of general or specific orders on each occasion, or unless the proposed circular is under the authority of the Government of India, it can only be a Rule of Procedure, and I am afraid we can neither assume the sole responsibility for issuing it nor act thereunder if it rested merely as a Department rule.

Bangalore,
15th April 1914.

Inspector General of Police.

P.T.O.

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6) Subd. for orders.

B.G. (49)164/14. MK

7 May the substance of the D.G's note communicated to the Residency?

DI Secy) SOR 16/4

8 A reply may be sent to this effect that paras may be framed from the Military Secretary to Govt. who, as the D.G. of Police states, gives necessary instructions in the matter. If this proposal is agreeable to the Second member, the Military Secretariat will be unofficially consulted in the matter and further action taken.

Second member) D. M. Naylor 17/4 Spr

9 Yes. This may be done well 18/4 Bruce 19/4 SPR

U.O. No J 41-13 dated the 24th April 1914.

10 Forwarded unofficially to the Military Secretary to H.H. for favour of opinion.

By Order

For Secretary.

B.G. (49)234-16. MK

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11. I concur with the remarks of Inspector General of Police, of the Mysore Government. but would suggest that when application for a pass is asked for, a photo or description of the man to whom it should be given be sent with the application, so as to ensure the right man receiving it, otherwise false representation may be made. Passes are invariably issued either by the Police or Military Secretary through the Police who are responsible for safe guarding Their Excellencies and it seems to me the only method of eliminating undesirable individuals from platforms and camps, Etc.

Dated Bangalore)
The 25th April '14)

A Jones Lt.Col.,
Offg: Military Secretary.

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12) Subd with a draft for approval or other orders.

8/5/14 13) Draft showing the opinion of the Mily Secy to Govt. However should the Council's sanction to the request for a photo accompany the above it should be recorded.

9.5.14

14) A more suitable draft letter to the Resy might be suggested. The suggestion about photo to may be omitted. A draft letter or memo. should requiring our officials to obtain the sanction proposed is also necessary.

Draft 12/5

15) Two drafts subd:

16) Draft as marked A

16-5-14 Secy

16) Draft as marked A Secy

18/5/14

17) Please put up a fdy draft to the Resy as revised. For the present it seems sufficient to send a copy of this to the Mily Secy and D.G. of Ofce.

Draft 20/5

18) Subd. A fdy draft is put up. It is respectfully subd. that the words 'Military Secy to Govt' in para 2 of the

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draft may be altered into 'Military Secy to H.H.' as the officer who issues passes is Military Secy not to Govt. but to H.H.

B.G. 4491 20-5-14.

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19) Secy) The draft rcpts may be approved.

Second member)

20) Approved

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21) Issue

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2 To the D.G.P.A. Resident Pol No 964 dy 30-5-14

Intimates that the system of issuing passes is in vogue & that consequently no inconvenience is felt & that passes are issued by the Military Secy to H.H.

dy 3604-5 dy 1-6-14.

Forwards copy of the above to the D.G. of Police & the Military Secretary.

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Letter No. TP-17, dated the 25th March 1914, from the Postmaster General, Madras Circle, to the Hon'ble the President in Mysore.

In sending you, for your information, a copy of the -- correspondence noted at foot, I have the honour to ask, should you see no objection, that the police authorities of the -- Mysore State be moved to adopt the arrangements which have -- been agreed to by the Inspector General of Police, Madras; and to intimate to me the designations of the police authorities to whom application for permits should be made by postal -- officials.

2. The favour of an early reply is requested.

Docs: accg:- A. Copy of Letter No. TP-17, dated 17-3-14, to the Insnector General of Police, Madras.
B. Copy of letter D.No.384-1, dated 14-3-14, from Inspector General of Police, with a copy of its enclosure.

Poe&o 1676/30.3.14

Mysore Resident's Office,
Bangalore, the 30th March 1914.

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No. 2244 C—3.

A copy of the foregoing letter and of its enclosures is forwarded to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore for favour of necessary action and report.

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DIARY No. J. 3158

10/3-1914
SECTION Police
FILE No. 187-13
SERIAL No. 1

First Assistant Resident.

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Copy of a communication No. TP-17 dated the 17th February 1914 from the Postmaster General, Madras, to the Inspector General of Police, Madras.

In sending you the accompanying copy of a letter received by me from the District Superintendent of Police, Kistna, I have the honour to say that, when His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India, His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, or His Excellency the Governor of Madras is on tour in the Madras Circle, special arrangements are made for the mails from and for His Excellency. For this purpose, an Inspector of Post Offices and an Assistant Superintendent of the Railway Mail Service are required to be present at or near the camp of His Excellency to see to the prompt exchange of mails between the camp and the nearest post office or the Railway Mail Service. The divisional superintendent of post offices and the divisional superintendent, Railway Mail Service, are also required to supervise the mail arrangements and are personally responsible for them.

2. In accordance with this practice, which is of very long standing, the Inspector of Post Offices, Narasapur sub-division, and the mail overseer presented themselves at the Nidadavol railway station on the 27th November 1913, to see to the correct delivery of the special bags for His Excellency the Viceroy and his staff and to the receipt and despatch of His Excellency's outward foreign mails which were to be posted at that station. The Deputy Superintendent of Police, Ellore Sub-division, who was then at that -- Station informed the postal inspector—very properly, as I think,— that he could allow no one on to the platform without the permission of the District Superintendent of Police as His Excellency's halt was private. At the Inspector's request however, the Deputy Superintendent obtained—also properly, as I think,— the requisite permission by telegraph from his district superintendent and -- admitted the postal officials to the platform. In this connection I may mention that it has never been customary in the past to get police permission for postal officials to attend on railway plat-

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platforms to see to the despatch and delivery of the mails of the officers in question.

3. To guard against the occurrence in the future of what took place at the Nidadavol railway station in November last, and in -- view to the matter being put on a proper footing, I propose in the interests alike of the post office and of the Police Department that on occasions when His Excellency the Viceroy, His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, or His Excellency the Governor of Madras is on tour in this Presidency, the divisional superintendent of post offices and the divisional superintendent, R.M.S., in whose divisions the tour lies shall obtain from the district superintendent of police concerned police permits for themselves as well as for such of their subordinates as may be required to attend at railway stations and elsewhere in connection with the receipt and despatch of His Excellency's mails. If desired, the superintendents of this Department will be directed when applying for the -- police permits to give the name and official designation of each postal official on whose behalf a permit is wanted as well as the period for which it shall be available and to return the permit in original, at the close of that period for disposal to the police officer by whom it was issued. Some such precautions as the foregoing seem to be desirable to guard against evil-disposed persons passing themselves off as postal officials and thus gaining -- unauthorised admittance to railway platforms and elsewhere where the the public generally are not allowed or in contravention of police regulations.

4. I shall be obliged if you will kindly favour me with an -- expression of your views in the matter and let me know at the same time whether the course indicated by me in the preceding paragraph has your approval; and if so, the date from which it may be prescribed for adoption.

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Copy of a communication No. D. No. 384-1 dated 14th March 1914, from the Ag. Inspector General of Police, Madras, to the Postmaster General, Madras.

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. TP-17, dated the 27th February 1914, regarding the admission of postal officials into Railway platforms or near the tour camps of His Excellency the Viceroy etc. and to inform you that I entirely concur in your views on the matter. I enclose a copy of the instructions issued by me to District Superintendents of Police on the subject.

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Chief Office of the Inspector
General of Police,
Madras, 14th March 1914.

D.No. 384

C I R C U L A R

The Postmaster-General, Madras, brings to notice that on -- occasions when His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India, the Commander-in-Chief in India, or the Governor of Madras is on tour in this Presidency, special arrangements are made by the Postal Department for the mails from and to His Excellency and that in connection therewith the presence of an Inspector of Post Offices, and Assistant Superintendent of the Railway Mail Service, the Divisional Superintendent of post offices and the Divisional Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, is required at or near the camp of His Excellency. To enable these officers to secure -- admission into Railway platforms or near His Excellency's camp without any inconvenience or delay, the following arrangements suggested by the Post-master General will be made in future.

On each of the occasions referred to above, the Divisional Superintendent of post offices and the Divisional Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, in whose divisions the tour lies shall -- obtain from the Military Secretary to Govt. District Superintendent of Police concerned permits for themselves as well as for such of their subordinates as may be required to attend at Railway stations and elsewhere in connection with the receipt and despatch of His Excellency's Mails. The name and official designation of each subordinate postal -- official on whose behalf a permit is wanted as well as the period for which it shall be available should be intimated by the Postal Superintendents, who shall also return the permits (in original) after the expiry of that period to the (police) officer who issued them.

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This arrangement will take effect from 1st April 1914.

Sd/-

For Ag. Inspector General of
Police.

To

All Superintendents of Police.

Copy to the Dy. Inspr. Genl. of Police.

Copy.
Registrar
Residents' Office

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Issue of passes to postal officers for admission to Ry. Stations near the camps of H.E. the Viceroy

Police.

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Serial No. 2

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Pol No. 964

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To

The F. A. Resident

Sir,

Adverting to your endorsement no. 2224 dated the 30th March 1914 forwarding a copy of letter no. T. P. 17 dated the 25th March 1914 from the Post Master General, Madras, together with its enclosures for necessary action and report, I am directed to state that the system of issuing passes to all those who may have any duty at Ry. Stations on the occasions

over.

Date of issue 30. 5. 1914.

Signed by Sir D. M. Narasinga Rao

SUBJECT.

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referred to, is in force in Mysore and that consequently no difficulty of the kind brought to notice by the Post Master General has been experienced.

2. I am to state that passes are issued by the Military Secy. to (Govt.) H.H the Maharajah H.H. ? from whom the officers of the Postal Dept may obtain them.

I have &c.

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Offg. Secy.

Copy of the above is forwarded (1) to the I.G. of Police in Mysore (2) to the Military Secy. to H.H. for information.

} J 3604-5-7 dt 8th June 1914

By Order

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For Secretary.

List of enclosures,

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PF. (69) 205-16

Copied by

Examined by

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